

Senate Resolution 739

By: Senator Mullis of the 53rd

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Mr. Mike Dawson; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Mr. Mike Dawson has long been recognized by the citizens of this state for the
3 vital role that he has played in leadership and his deep personal commitment to the welfare
4 of the citizens of Georgia; and

5 WHEREAS, Mr. Dawson has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of
6 his time, talents, and energy toward the betterment of his community as evidenced
7 dramatically by his superlative service with the Chattooga County Board of Commissioners;
8 and

9 WHEREAS, during his tenure as a commissioner, Mr. Dawson was instrumental in providing
10 water to the citizens of the Gore-Subligna area on the east side of Chattooga County and the
11 Cloudland area through the Cloudland Water Project; and

12 WHEREAS, his leadership and support resulted in the improvement of the county's
13 emergency 911 center and the recycling program and expanded the ambulatory services
14 provided to citizens; and

15 WHEREAS, Mr. Dawson operates M&K Trucking Company in the Gore area, serves as
16 Chairman of the Board for the Chattooga County Water District, and is an active member of
17 Bethel United Methodist Church; and

18 WHEREAS, he is united in love and marriage to his wife, Lynn, and they have been blessed
19 with four remarkable children and four delightful grandchildren; and

20 WHEREAS, Mr. Dawson demonstrated significant organizational and leadership talents,
21 remarkable patience and diplomacy, a keen sense of vision, and sensitivity to the needs of

22 the citizens of Chattooga County during his time as a commissioner which earned him the
23 respect and admiration of his colleagues and associates; and

24 WHEREAS, due to Mr. Dawson's dedicated service, Chattooga County has provided its
25 many esteemed citizens with an exceptional quality of life and a welcoming home, and it is
26 abundantly fitting that he be appropriately recognized for his outstanding public service.

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
28 commend former Commissioner Mike Dawson for his wise and diligent leadership of
29 Chattooga County and extend to him their sincere best wishes for his future health and
30 happiness.

31 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
32 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mr. Mike Dawson.